

LORDS AMENDMENTS

TO THE

ERNE LOUGH AND RIVER BILL.

*Note.—The words in red ink are proposed to be added to the
Lords Amendments.*

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Line 1, leave out from ("Commissioners") to the end of the clause.

Line 28, leave out from ("same") to the end of the clause, and insert clause (A.):

(A.) Special meetings shall be held in the Court House of Fermanagh at Enniskillen on some day to be appointed by the said Commissioners of Public Works, not being later than the fifteenth day of October one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, of the justices and associated cesspayers entitled to attend at presentment sessions in and for each of the baronies mentioned in the schedule to this Act annexed, at which meetings respectively the justices and associated cesspayers present shall declare their opinion as to the expediency of borrowing the residue of the cost of executing the works authorised by the Act of 1876, beyond the grant of fifteen thousand pounds in that Act mentioned, from the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

Meetings of baronies to be held at Enniskillen to approve borrowing of money.

Notice of such meetings shall be given once in each of two consecutive weeks before the day fixed for the same in some newspaper or newspapers circulating in each of the counties of Fermanagh, Cavan, Monaghan, and Donegal, and such meetings shall be held in all respects, save as to the place in which they are held, as ordinary baronial presentment sessions.

The chairman presiding at each of said meetings shall, by taking a vote in such manner as he thinks fit, ascertain and report to the Commissioners of Public Works whether the majority of the justices and associated cesspayers of the barony on behalf of which such meeting was held, present and voting at such meeting, assented

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on behalf of such baronies to the borrowing of such moneys. If at such meetings voting as aforesaid approval be given on behalf of the majority of the said baronies to the borrowing of the said moneys, the said moneys shall be borrowed by the board, and shall be advanced by the Commissioners of Public Works in Ireland with the consent of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury accordingly. If from any cause no such meeting on behalf of any barony shall be held on the day appointed, or being held, shall fail to vote, such barony shall be deemed to have assented to the borrowing of such money.

After clause 4. insert clause (B.):

Saving
rights under
section 2 of
Erne Lough
and River
Act, 1876.

(B.) Nothing in this Act contained shall do away with or lessen any obligation imposed upon the Treasury by section two of the Erne Lough and River Act, 1876, as to the grant of fifteen thousand pounds therein mentioned.

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